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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY

In the Matter of

Administrative Action

ALBERT INTERNOSCIA, D.M.D. :

Licensed to Practice Dentistry: in the State of New Jersey :

CONSENT ORDER

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Dentistry (hereinafter "the Board") upon receipt of a patient complaint from K.W. The complaint alleged that Albert Internoscia, D.M.D. (hereinafter "respondent") rendered dental treatment to K.W. which failed to conform to standard dental practice in the State of New Jersey. Specifically, K.W. alleged that respondent did not render proper dental treatment regarding root canal therapy. On July 23, 1997, respondent appeared with counsel, John Paul Dizzia, Esq., at an investigative inquiry into the matter held by the Board.

Having reviewed the entire record, including the testimony of respondent at the investigative inquiry, it appears to the Board that respondent failed to perform proper endodontics on teeth #10 and #12, and that he failed to obturate the canal to the apex on

teeth #10 and #12. These failures constitute violations pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-21 (c).

It appearing that respondent desires to resolve this matter without recourse to formal proceedings, and that this is a full and without admission of liability final settlement vof the matter entered in accordance with the statutory powers of the Board, and that for good cause shown:

IT IS ON THIS 4 DAY OF March 1997.

HEREBY ORDERED AND AGREED THAT:

- 1. Respondent shall successfully complete the following continuing education: fourteen (14) hours in basic endodontics and seven (7) hours in basic crown and bridge, which courses shall be completed within nine months of the entry of the within Consent Order. These courses, which are in addition to the regularly required continuing education hours, shall be approved by the Board in writing prior to attendance, utilizing the attached Pre-Approval sheet. Respondent also shall be required to complete the attached continuing education Report and Proof of Attendance as proof of successful completion of the required course work. The attached forms are made a part of the within Consent Order, and a separate form is to be used for each course.
- 2. Respondent shall reimburse K.W. in the amount of \$839.00. A certified check or money order made payable to K.W. shall be sent within fourteen days of the entry date of this Consent Order to Ms. Agnes Clarke, Executive Director, Board of Dentistry, 124 Halsey Street, Sixth Floor, Newark, New Jersey 07101.

3. Respondent is hereby assessed the costs of the investigation to the State in this matter in the amount of \$105.37. Payment for the costs shall be submitted by certified check or money order made payable to the State of New Jersey and submitted to the Board no later than fourteen days from the entry of the within Consent Order. Payment shall be sent to Ms. Agnes Clarke, Executive Director at the address stated in paragraph two.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY

Valentine Bloch, D.D.S.

President

I have read and understand the within Consent Order and agree to be bound by its terms. Consent is hereby given to the Board to enter this Order.

Albert Internoscia, D.M.D.